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Interstate Commerce Commission Attention: Recordation Unit

12th Street & Constitution Avenue, N.W.

Washington, DC 20423

Gentlemen:

On behalf of CSX Transportation, Inc., enclosed for filing and recording under 49 U.S.C. §11303(a) and the regulations promulgated thereunder, are four executed counterparts of a secondary document, not previously recorded, entitled Release dated October 14, 1988.

The parties to the enclosed release are:

Mercantile-Safe Deposit and Trust Company (as Agent) Two Hopkins Plaza P.O. Box 2258 Baltimore. MD 21203

CSX Transportation, Inc. (Vendee) Successor by merger to The Western Maryland Railway Company (WM) 100 North Charles Street Baltimore, MD 21201

The enclosed document, among other things, releases equipment under that certain Conditional Sale Agreement and Assignment of Railroad Equipment dated as of May 1, 1971 between WM and Bethlehem Steel Corporation, recorded with the Interstate Commerce Commission on May 4, 1971 and assigned Recordation No. 6140.

The units of equipment covered by the enclosed document are all units identified in said Conditional Sale Agreement and Assignment. A short summary of the document to appear in the ICC Index is as follows:

"Full and Complete Release."

Enclosed is a check in the amount of \$13.00 in payment of the filing fee.

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Once the filing has been made, please return to the undersigned stamped copies of the Release not needed for your files, together with the fee receipt, a copy of the letter from the ICC acknowledging the filing, and an extra copy of this letter of transmittal.

Very truly yours,

Robert F. Hochwarth Senior General Attorney

Enclosures 10/G22 & A

RELEASE AND SATISFACTION AND BILL OF SALE QCT 3 1 1988 . 1 15 PM

INTERSTATE COMMERCE COMMISSION WESTERN MARYLAND RAILWAY COMPANY CONDITIONAL SALE AGREEMENT DATED AS OF MAY 1, 1971

KNOW ALL MEN BY THESE PRESENTS that Mercantile-Safe Deposit and Trust Company, as Agent, assignee of a certain Conditional Sale Agreement dated as of May 1, 1971, between Western Maryland Railway Company and Bethlehem Steel Corporation hereby certifies that all of the \$2,700,000.00 Conditional Sale Indebtedness with interest thereon at the several rates of 7.00%, 8.30% and 8.50% per annum, have been fully paid or payment duly provided for, and all of the obligations under said Conditional Sale Agreement dated as of May 1, 1971, have been fully complied with and performed.

WHEREFORE, in consideration of One Dollar (\$1.00) and other valuable consideration:

Mercantile-Safe Deposit and Trust Company does hereby declare said Conditional Sale Agreement dated as of May 1, 1971, to be satisfied and cancelled and does consent that the same be discharged of record, and further Mercantile-Safe Deposit and Trust Company does hereby sell, assign, convey, transfer, set over, release and quit-claim without warranty or guaranty of any kind, express or implied, unto Western Maryland Railway Company all of its right, title and interest in and to all of the railroad equipment of every character included in said Conditional Sale Agreement, and now held by Mercantile-Safe Deposit and Trust Company.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, Mercantile-Safe Deposit and Trust Company has caused these presents to be executed in its name by one of its Vice President thereunto duly authorized and its corporate seal to be hereunto affixed and attested by one of its Assistant Vice Presidents as of this First day of May, 1986.

ATTEST:

MERCANTILE-SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST COMPANY as Agent

Assistant Vice President By Vic

(Seal)

) SS: CITY OF BALTIMORE)
On this <u>First</u> day of <u>May</u> , 19 <u>86</u> , before me personally appeared <u>R. E. Schreiber</u> , to me personally known, who being by me duly sworn, says that he is a Vice President of Mercantile-Safe Deposit and Trust Company that one of the seals affixed to the foregoing instrument is the corporate seal of said company, that said instrument was signed and sealed on behalf of said company by authority of its Board of Directors and he acknowledged that the execution of the foregoing instrument was the free act and deed of said company.
Notary Public
My Commission expires 7-1-86

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